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## PRESS RELEASE

### Attempted Murder (stabbing)

HOLLISTER, CALIFORNIA – January 5, 2009 – On January 3, 2009 at about 1:46 p.m., Hollister police officers responded to the 100 block of Locust Street on a report of a fight. Upon arrival, officers found a 26-year-old male victim of a stabbing. The man had a single stab wound to his back. He was transported via air ambulance to a Bay Area hospital.

All of the other people involved in the fight fled the scene. The victim's vehicle was found nearby with the rear window smashed out.

Preliminary investigation revealed that a fight took place involving several males. The victim sustained a single stab wound to his back and the knife lodged in his body. He is expected to survive his injuries. Follow-up investigation is being conducted by detectives.

Anyone with information about this case is asked to contact the Hollister Police Department, at (831) 636-4330, or WeTIP at (800) 78-CRIME.

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